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Extradition Case Against George D. Collins Concluded Yesterday Afternoon.

Remanded Until Saturday When Judge Is Expected to Render His Judgment.

Interesting Concluding Arguments of the Counsel on Both Sides.

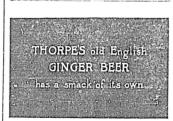
UDGE LAMPMAN will state on Saturday morning whether George D. Col-lins of San Francisco will be surren-for extradition to California or Yesterday morning Mr. W. J

would not put the accused in the positive of a perjurer in denying the marriage, and should be disadssed. It was alleged he had taken affidavit before a nearry, but the facts as shown would not constitute the taking of an oath in British Columbit. Whether it would become perjury in Call forma did not matter, as unless the same set of facts would constitute perjury in Canada accused must be discharged. It must be proven that the offerce charged was one which would constitute a crime in Canada. He quoted the Ashburten treaty and the extradition act in support of this. As to the each to be legal it must be administered by a competent officer, and must have been duly administered. California may, as has been shown, permit irregularities, but Canada did not dispense with the administration of an each when a person made an affidavit. In going before Notary Henry with a document already signed, and saying, "swear to that," Collins had not taken an each. He must touch the Scriptures before an eath could be taken. There was a difference between an eath and an afficuation, but the affidavit in question stated it was sworn to.

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"Thorpe's old - fashioned English ginger beer is prepared from an original English receipt in the possession of the vendors from the finest Jamaics ginger, specially selected for them for the last fifteen years by a leading wholesale London firm."

TAKE SIDNEY SAWMILL.

men a few days ago formed a company and acquired the sawpany, Ltd. To meet the present demand for lumber the mill was immediately placed in operation and is now running full time. The gentlemen comprising the

A group of Victoria business

new syndicate are said to have excellent financial backing and have all plans made for placing the industry on a firm and sound

the industry on a firm and sound basis. They are now applying for articles of incorporation.

The Sidney mill, as a business proposition, has had a somewhat chequered career, it having been only operated intermittently since its erection some eight years ago. The plant is said to be an up-to-date one.

Residents of Sidney are much pleased at the resumption of work on the enterprise. It is understood that the force of went of the plant is considerably increased and additions made to the plant.

Cossacks Being Sent to Crush the Re-bellion.

Plunged Into An Opened Draw

Engine and Three Crowded Cars Sink in 25 Feet of Water.

Exact Number of Drowned in Accident in Virginia Not

the question of the separation of Norway from Sweden show that 686,200 way from Sweden show that 686,200 votes were east for dissolution and 184,000 against. The size of the vote is very graffying to the lenders of the storthing and has aroused intense interest. At the last general election for members of the storthing only 236,611 votes were east.

PUBLISHERS' PLEDGE. Promise Support to Employing Print

ers Against Eight-hour Rule.

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New York, Aug. 17.—The periodical publishers of this city at a meeting today adopted a resolution that the periodical publishers of America should pledge their support to the united typothetae in their determination to resist the present adoption of the proposed eight-hour rule of the typographical unions. It was reported at the meeting that the International Typographical Union was discussing in convention at Toronto a strike for an eight-hour day on January 1st, 1906.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS. Baseball Matters Rearranged at Bellingham.

Bellingham, Aug. 17.—The closed switch, which has been settling over local baseball affairs, lifted slightly today, when \$500 was subscribed toward back salaries owed the local team, and the game with Spokane was pulled off according to schedule. Last night the directors of the learne held a long and stormy session, which resulted in the resignation of Manager Kerby Drennon, and the election of Fred Clark, one of the team, to fill his place. The back salaries, or at least a part of the amount, were promised the team by 11 o'clock this morning, but it was not until 2 o'clock that \$500 had been secured. This is said to be about half the amount due the team.

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Portland, Aug. 17.—Today's session of the trans-Mississippi commercial congress listened to a number of speeches by men of prominence. An untoward incident which occurred at about 1 o'clock was the action of the congress on the speeches of Messrs, P. J. Von Lobensels and Benjamin Wright of San Francisco.

British News By Cable

The London Standard Eulogizes Canada on Reception of Cruiser Squadron.

Writer in the World Offers Colonials Some Sarcastic Advice.

Winnipegger Attacks Free Grants of Homesteads to All Immigrants.

ericans.

The Westminster Gazette, in a recent issue says that although Goldwin Smith is opposed to the establishment of an Irish parliament, it must be remembered that he was the first English historian of eminence to denounce the methods by which parliament was destroyed. In his book entitled "The Empire" he declared that Pitt sank knee deep in pollution in order to carry the union.

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R. J. Schrimpton, of Winnipeg, in an article in the Monthiy Review, attacks the Canadian government's present system of granting free homesteads, and says that the lands belong to the people, for whom the government is but trustee, and should be dealt with on business principles at a small price per acre. This would yield an enormous income, which would wipe out the national debt and reduce taxation from emigration funds. The fact that the United States had a free homestead system was no justification for Canada to adopt it. The writer advocates the "Wakefield" system of a minimum charge of \$5 per acre, or \$8, for the present free homestead of 160 acres, to be paid on easy terms, and quotes figures to show the extent and value. He says that New Zealand, under the Wakefield system, was able to pay all the expenses of bringing capable agricultural families from Europe, and so could Canada, and not, as now, ret many thousands of use.

AN ALLEGED CRISIS.

for a vacation of several weeks, was suddenly recalled to join the chancellor at Wilhelmshoeh. The reason for these movements is so far only the subject of conjecture, but it is known that the relations between Great Britain and Germany have recently been on the point of breaking to an extent beyond the knowledge of the public. Precisely what has happened has not been learned, but a serious situation existed, and, indeed, it is understood, it has not yet been dissipated. The British government appears to hold the conviction that the German Emperor is seeking to form a European combination against Great Britain.

SULLIVAN SMELTER ADDITION. Second Stack Successfully Blown in Yesterday.

Nelson, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The second stack of the Sullivan smelter was successfully blown in today. This gives the lead reduction works there a capacity equal to the annual output of either the Hall mines or the Trail smel-ter. A telegram received here from Ottaws

innounces that W. R. Ingalls, the fa mous expert, has been appointed to en mons expert, has been appointed to en-quire into zinc conditions by the gov ernment and will begin work here of September 1st.

The rain today has cleared the atmos-phere and saved much timber.

WORK ON PANAMA CANAL. Chairman of Commission Explains Suspension of Operations.

Suspension of Operations.

New York, Aug. 17.—Replying to the report that the suspension of digging operations on the Panama canal has been caused by the exhaustion of the congressional appropriations for constructing the Isthmian water way, Theodore Shonts, chairman of the Panama canal commission, said today: "It is not true that there has been any shortage or that our plans for forwarding the work on the canal were curtailed for lack of money recently when an order was issued that the building of the terminals and houses for the employees and for a better commissariat should precede any further work in the actual excavating of the canal. The question of funds has not interfered with our plans at Panama in any way."

START STOVE WORKS.

TO DIVIDE WITH DEPOSITORS. New Savings Bank in Chicago Inau-gurates Radical Departure.

Tax on Timber To Be Enforced

Holders of Ail Licenses to Pay Two Per Cent on Value of Property.

Puget Sound Canners Secure Salmon From the Fraser River.

From Our Own Correspondent.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 17.—Owners of timber in British Columbia, are to be called upon to pay taxes on the assessed value of timber to the amount of 2 per cent. per annum. Notices are being issued calling upon the holders of all timber under license to furnish returns as to the value set upon their timber to the tax called on the part of the part o

RUSSIA'S NEW LOAN. Czar Authorizes Borrowing of Hundred Million Dollars.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 17.—An impukase was issued today, formally orising the issuance of the new int loan of \$100,000,000 at 5 per cent.

WATERWAYS COMMISSION. Meeting of International Body Arranged for Next Month.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The interna Washington, Aug. 17.—The interna-tional waterway commission, consisting of Gen. O. H. Ernest of this city, George Clinton of Buffalo, and G. W. Wesner of Detroit, for the United States, and of Messrs, Mabee Coste and King for Can-ada, will meet in Buffalo on September 11. Two days will be spent in public hearings, and on the 13th the commis-sion will go to Niagara Falls to inspect the powder works in that city. On the 15th and 16th they will have meetings

Calls it the "New B. C."

Appropriate Title Given Northern Section of the Province by Premier McBride.

Home Again After a Tour of inspection in Company With How, R. F. Green.

Splendid Mineral Indications Promising Outlook for Development.

ON. R. M'BRIDE, Brezsier, and Hour R. F. Greeat Chief Commissioner, who left for the North on the 5th inst., potursed last evening by the steamer Charmer, having come down on the Camosum to Vancouver. They went as far iss-Hazelton, calling at a number of way points, to inform themselves respecting the situation along the coast and in the Skeena district, now attracting so much attention. They express themselves as greatly pleased with the result of their visit. A feeling of confidence was general among all the psople they met, and times generally were good. The canneries have been doing a good business this season. The only complaints in this respect they

MAY BECOME A PAUPER.

ceive \$16,000,000 this year as his share of Standard Oil. If his other investments yield him \$10,000,000 his total income will be \$26,000,000. Within three months he has given away \$11,-500,000. In the preceding five months he gave away about \$2,500,000, or a total of \$14,000,000 so far in 1905. If he makes the \$50,000,000 gift to Chicaro university the total will be \$61,000,000 at least for the year, or about two and a half times his income.

KOREANS ACCUSE JAPAN.

Contents of Memorial to President Roosevelt Made Public.

Contents of Memorial to President of Detroit, for the United States, and of Detroit, for the United States, and of Messrs, Mahee Coste and King for Canda, will meet in Buffalo on September 11. Two days will be spent in public in Hearings, and on the 12th the commission will go to Niagara Falls to inspect the powder works in that city. On the providence of Sean and Rev. P. G. Yoon of Hawai, who is a more into and Hamilton.

Athory Park, N. J., Aug. 17.—The two Koreans, Syngman Rhee of Sean and Rev. P. G. Yoon of Hawai, who presented President Roosevelt with a memorial at Oyster Bay in behalf of the Koreans, and who were unofficially informed by the President that their suit should be presented to the Korean propose and when Korea was opened by the Japanese for defensive purcent memory has again come into untenviable notoriety because of her alleged entanglement with C. Ralph Ash, a lumber broker av2 married and not public the details of this memorial. They are stopping in this city. The petition asys that the Hotel Astoria.

Miss Patterson has been staying at Cambridge Court hotel, where she registered as Helen Needham. She packed her trunks and left for Washington, D. C., simultaneously with a bitter defined by the proposition of the Corean was to introduce reforms in governmental administration along the Korean people in a friendly manneously with a bitter of the modern civilization of Europe and Japan was also to advise and counsel the Korean people in a friendly manneously with a bitter of the modern civilization of Europe and Japan was also to advise and counsel the Korean people in a friendly manneously with a bitter of the modern civilization of Europe and Japan was also to advise and counsel the Korean people in a friendly manneously with a bitter of the Morean was to introduce reforms in governmental administration along the known as several and regret, the petition says the contrary, it is recited in the momerial. Japan turned loose several tothe country. The memorial says the variety of the Morean peo

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From Our Own Correspondent.

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Grand Forks, Aug. 12.—Last evening the three remaining furnaces at the Granby smelter were shut down, which means that the entire plant will be in a state of inactivity for the next week. It is the intention of the management to resume operations on the 17th inst., when the present six furnaces will be blown in, in addition to the two new furnaces, making a total of eight furnaces, making a total of eight furnaces, coving to the new labor saving electrical devices now in operation the number of men required to operate the eight furnaces will not exceed the number used for the two original furnaces of this plant.

Elmer and Robinson, well-known

irnaces of this plant.

Elmer and Robinson, well-known irmers of this valley, are about to been a new market at Grand Forks. Geretofore they have been selling leat by peddling it from door to door, it now they have decided to oppose. Burns & Co. in a more formidable ay by having an established busisses here.

The Kettle Valley line ratiway still continues the work of grading on the North Fork extension of the road. At present about a dozen men are employed under the direct supervision of the companies represented here. While bathing in the Kettle river yesterday Edward Temple and Johnnie Robinson, two Grand Forks boys, aged 12 and 7 years respectively, narrowly escaped drowning. Young Temple went to the rescue of young Robinson, when he was unable to make the shore. Both boys would have been drowned but for the timely assistance of Robert Prytulski, of this place, who heard the boys shouting and swam out and brought them safely to shore.

The Betts and Hesperus.

claimers equipment of mining ma-chinery on these properties, which will be done at once. In order to facilitate the working of these mines even more than formerly the Bonning-ton Falls power line is building their line in easy necess to these proper-ties, so that all necessary power can be obtained comparatively easily. The rapid development of these properties be obtained comparatively easily. The rapid development of these properties is due to the fact that the Chicago syndicate who own the claims were not afraid to expend money in open-ing them up and are now being re-warded for their perseverance in what appeared in the first instance to be a pure mining venture. The following are the customs re-celpts as received at the chief port of entry at Grand Focks for the month

entry at Grand Forks for the month of July last: Grand Forks, \$6,238,72; Greenwood, \$1,159,32; Phoenix, \$593,-\$2; Midway, \$45,02; Osoyoos, \$121,-\$41; Carson, \$59; Keremeos, \$50,78; Cascade, \$49; Sidley, \$15; Fairview, \$140; total, \$8,776,98.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation." sell and recommend this preparation.'
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Tug's Mysterious Disappearance

Belief That Small Steamer Was Deliberately Scuttled Near Nanaimo.

Probable That Crew Also Have Found a Watery Grave.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanalmo, Aug. 17.—Further confirmation of the story brought in by the Japanese carpenter Suzyama about the sinking of a tug boat off the entrance to Departure bay on Wednesday was received this afternoon when A. Combatley, who has a ranch near Page's lagoon, came to town and confirmed the story of the Japanese in all particulars. Combatley was watching the tug as she was steam ing by and she appeared to be going all right, when suddenly she started to list and in a few minutes had sunk. After this a small boat that had been tied on behind appeared with two men making for the shore, but so far nothing has been heard from them. The fact that these men have not showed up, taken in conjunction with the circumstances under which the vessel disappeared gives rise to a suspicion that her crew might have scutted the ship and saved themselves. At the time the boat sank there was no sea of any importance and it is menonceivable that a steamer should sink after the fashion of this one unless something extraordinary had occurred, and now that the crew, too, have disappeared the mystery at once gives rise to suspicion.

Description of the Derelict.

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Description of the Derelict.

From the description given of the vessel she must have been quite a good size. The Jap says she was 50 feet in length. Capt. Foote of the City of Nanaimo at first thought it was the Daisy of Victoria, but after getting a closer look saw it was not her and then concluded it was a logging steamer from Vancouver or Victoria. All descriptions agree as to the appearance of the boat and it is certain there was no reason either in the weather or the sea to account for the sudden foundering of a vessel of this size.

The theory that she came from the American side and was deliberately

pearance of the small boat in which the crew escaped makes it impossible to solve the mystery, and now the belief is general that these, too, have gone to the bottom.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine, arrived today to investigate the protest sent by the city council to the department at Ottawa about the building of Hirst's wharf opposite the end of Bastion street. Capt. Gaudin held a conference at the city hall at which the mayor, the aldermen and Ralph Smith were present.

RUSHING BUSINESS

Large Quantitles of Cedar Logs Being Exported to the

of the timber department in the city, as to whether consent or permission would be given to export colar logs to Puget Sound under a hand logger's ilceme. The answer was that no consent or permission would be considered at all. It was then asked if it was against the law, and the answer was that no logs shall be shipped to the Sounder from leacholds to the United States, and no logs shall be shipped to the United States, out from timber lands beld under special licences. The inference of course from this answer was that the regulations did not mention hand loggers' heences in connection with the export prohibition, and therefore land loggers court export.

No Machinery to Stop Export.

"Zah" and the protestations of some indigital conscients which in their displayed in their absence of the National Wholesaile Lumier Dealers' Association of the United States are committee was appointed to lay before the purple was appointed to lay before the

No Machinery to Stop Export.

As far as can be learned here, if the official scale is presented to the timber inspector and the royalty is paid, the government has no further claim on the logs, and there is no machinery provided for the purpose of following those logs to their destination, in any event, and if the logs were cut by any person holding one or lifty hand loggers licences there is no law provided if the machinery was available to stop the logs being shipped to the United States. If the logs were being cut without the royalty being paid, it would be more easily traced, and the department would quickly prevent any irregularity. At the present time the revenue from royalties is being very largely increased, it is said, by clear and rough cedar logs being shipped to the Sound, where there is a big market for them. The logs cost about \$4.50 in the water, and the rough logs are sold at \$5.50 and \$6, and the clear at from about \$8 to \$11. There is practically no market at all for the logs in British Columbia at the present time.

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Peace Envoys Reach Impasse

Decide to Defer Consideration of More Important Points.

Suzerainty Over Sakhalien May Be One of Proposed Compromises.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 17.—The As ociated Press learns at midnight that during the conference the Japanese plenipotentiaries several times mani fested a sort of desire to couple the con sideration of the disputed points. This smeration of the disputed points. This might indicate a willinguess to bargain at the end. The Russians watched these moves with great interest, waiting for their adversaries to press them, but without showing their hands. Mr. Sato is quoted as saying that the Japanese will tomorrow propose again taking up the articles which have been passed over. If that is the case the Japanese may have decided to openly propose joint consideration.

The morning discussion developed an absolute impasse, both sides were obdurate; neither would budge or yield an inch. An agreement being found to be impossible the plenipotentiaries decided to spread upon the record their respective views and proceed to consideration of article 10, which provides for the surrender to Japan of the Russian warships interned in Far Eastern waters. This article was being debate when recess until 3 o'clock was taken.

It can be stated with almost absolute positiveness that the two remaining articles are in the following order: Article leds are in the following order: Article might indicate a willingness to bargain

The natural line of compromise on the two main issues between the peace pientries and Japan to forego remuneration for "the cost of the war." And to take instead such incidental monetary compensation as she will obtain from the transfer of the Liaotung and Port Arthur, lease the Chinese Eastern railroad and the payment for the maintenance of the 100,000 Russian prisoners. Such an arrangement regarding Sakhalien might solve the problem sefar as article five is concerned. The

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Ryan Coming West.

Winnipeg, Ang. 17.—One of the leading financial men of the world, Thomas F. Ryan, of New York city, who recently purchased the controlling interest in the Equitable Life Assurance Company of New York, was in the city today. Mr. Ryan, in a private car, the Pere Marquette, which was attached to the rear of the C.P.R. express, arriving from the East at 8.30 p.m. He will look into prospects for the company's investments in the Canadian West.

Crop Reports. Ryan Coming West.

Crop Reports.

The Canadian Pacific agents' crop reports continues most favorable. Wheat has already been cut in various parts of the country, a quantity of barley is in stock, and the binders will be at work on the standing grain throughout all parts of the province next week. In the Lar West on the Prince Albert Enc, the weather has been fine and favorable, and wheat is reported as cut at Henley, West Prince Albert, Dundurn, Osier and Rosthen. On the Touton branch, running north from the city, cutting will begin during next week, and will be gen-Crop Reports.

Calls it the

(Continued from Page One.)

To a Colonist reporter the premier said: "We left early in the month and proceeded by the steamer Beatrice to Essington, where we connected with the Hudson Bay Company's river steamer Mount Royal for Hazelton. The voyage to the head of navigation occupied from Wednesday afternoon until Saturday morning following, the steamer lying up at nightfall. The trip up the Skeena river is perhaps one of the most interesting to be found. Apart from its scenic attractions, the navigation of such a difficult and rapid waterway is a most exciting and pleasant experience. In the commander, Capt, Johnson, Chief Englacer Hickie and the officers and crew the company have most reliable and courteous officials. Already Capt, Johnson has achieved

Whench and a competent staff of ourses. We were shown over the cers and courteous officials, and capt. Johnson has achieved excellent reputation for the care skill with which he manages his el, and as for the efficiency of ef Engineer Hickie there can be question. Capt. John Irvine, who is with us as far as Kitsalas can, pronounces the Skeena river to one of the most difficult rivers to igate that we have in the west, was very fortunate that we had Clifford in our party, as his whedge of the north country provat all times invaluable.

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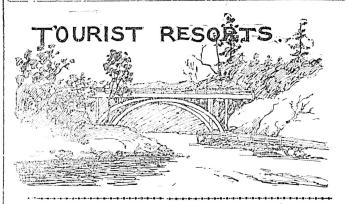
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..... \$1.40 to \$2.00 Girls' strong and Neat School Boots, all sizes 8 to 2...90c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1 50, \$1.75

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GOLDSTREAM HOTEL

207 Douglas, Victoria, B. C., July 21st, 1905. Dear Sir: I am writing on behalf of St. John's Sunday School teachers to express to you their entire satisfaction with the arrangements you have made at Goldstream for Sunday School picnics, and to thank you for all the kindness and personal attention.

I am, dear, sir, sincerely yours,

J. R. DOWNES, Proprietor.

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The Dominion

Revenge.

MARCHING ORDERS

This week a regiment of plenickers have een scheduled to take a walk. Thrices ought to make action quick.

Beginning Aug. 23

The mas been obliged to be more than a careful in the disposition of the district appropriation. Mr. Clifford naturally feels that the government should exercise a generous discretion in the treatment of his riding, and particularly in regard to a new district opening up, and was very careful to point out the urgency of a great many of the projected public works.

"The trails we found to be in a fairly good condition. Of course in places we mout cordurey and different defective bridges were the causes of some complaint.

August

The reading room will be open as usual.
All books are to be returned not later than 31st August.

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Local News.

Record Traffic .-- As indicating the ex-

Edith Stranded in Sevmour Narrows

Fishery Steamer Beached to Frevent Sinking After Being Towed From Reef.

Princess Beatrice Sailed Last Night-Spokane Bound to Alaskan Perts

The steamer Edith of the Interna tional Fisheries Company went ashore in Seymour Narrows on Wednesday when en route to Tacoma from the halibut fishing grounds in Dixon entrance with a load of fresh halibut. News of from Comox in special despatches to the Colonist, the tug Sea Lion having reached the coaling station with news of the stranding of the Edith.

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The Edith, with Capt. Sinclair in charge, was steaming through the narrows at low tide and struck a reef known to exist in the middle of the narrows. A portion of the stern was torn away and some damage done amidships which caused the vessel to leak badiy. The pumps were immediately brought into requisition and were at work when the tug Sea Lion, Capt. French, came alongside a few hours after the stranding.

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The Sea Lion towed the stranded steamer from the reef, but the Edith was leaking too badly to allow of aer being towed south or of making her way unaided. The inrush of water made it impossible for the pumps to keep the vessel sufficiently free to allow her to make the nearest port, and it was decided to beach her.

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The tug towed her to Plumper's bay, where she was beached to prevent her sinking in deep water. Temporary repairs will be effected on the beach at Plumper's bay, and the Sea Lion, which was bound from Northern logging camps to Vancouver, will return to tow the cessel to Theoma after temporary reto Vancouver, will return to tow the vessel to Tacoma after temporary repairs are effected. It is expected that the Edith will be in condition to be brought south on Saturday. The weather was clear when the accident happened. It is believed the strong tide running in the narrows at low water swung her stern on to the reef. Steamers engaged in Northern trade usually arrange to pass through the narrows only at certain stages of the tide.

R. T. RITHET'S REPORT.

The monthly freight and shipping report of R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., for July, Just issued, says: The freight market remains in about the same position as noted in our last, Grain crops are turning out worse than expected, and there will practically be no surplus for export. With no prospect of export business, rate quotations are normal. Lumber freights are quiet, and if anything a shade easier. We quote freights as follows: Grain—San Francisco to Cork fo. 22s. 6d: Portland to Cork Cork mantle, 448, 66, 10 ares, 66, to 378, 66, Taku, 378, 66 West Coast, 8, A., 388, 96, South Africa, 528, 66, to 558, Continent, 578, 66, to 588, 96.

And Crew Were Almost in State of Mutiny When Steamer Sailed.

The British steamer Condor went to sea yesterday morning bound for Valparaiso with a heavy list to starboard and near-ly all the men of the crew bordering on

ly all the men of the crew bottering on mutiny.

The vessel came in on Sunday last from Puget Sound ports with part of a cargo, and since she dropped anchor in the bay stevedores have been work-ing night and day stowing freight aboard her.

She lay in the stream taking on car-go from scows and the stuff was stowed into her hold and piled on her decks so fast that the stevedores had no oppor-tunity in the rush to keep the vessel in proper trim.

tunity in the rush to keep the vessel in proper trim.

As the ship left port the carpenter, pistol in hand, defied officers and jumped overboard in an effort to reach shore. He was recaptured and taken aboard.

FOR THE NORTH.

Steamers Princess Beatrice and Spo-

kane Sail for Lynn Canal.

Two steamers sailed for Northern ports yesterday. The steamer Princess Beatrice of the C.P.R. Steamship Company sailed for Skagway via Northern British Columbia with a fair complement of passengers, and the steamer Spokane of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company sailed on her last trip to Alaskan points with excursionists. The Spokane arrived at 4 p.m. yesterday,

Damages Done By Forest Fires

An Interesting Article Based on Reports Furnished by Mr. Anderson.

Loss to the Province Last Year Is Considered Very Great.

The Canadian Forestry Journal, in its July issue, under the caption "Forest Fires in British Columbia in 1901," publishes an interesting article based on reports placed at the disposal of the Forestry Massociation by J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, portions of which follow:

Manitoba Breeders Are Urged to Ex-hibit at New Westminster.

the leading live stock breeders of the province:

Dear Sir,—A number of our leading stock breeders have expressed their desire to exhibit at the Dominion exhibition which is to be held at New Westminster, B. C., September 27 to October 7. The prize list is a liberal one and the classification about the same as the Winnipeg Industrial. The exhibition association undertake to refund the freight charges on live stock exhibits when returned to the original shippers without change of ownership. The live stock trade of British Columbia has largely been held by Ontario breeders. This exhibition presents an unequalled opportunity for the breeders of Manitoba to show what kind of stuff they breed, and secure for themselves a share of western trade. The Pacific Coast demand is not for quantity but for quality. We have the quality and 1,500 miles the start of our Eastern brethren, therefore "it's up" to the breeders of Manitoba to go in and possess this goodly land.

It would be greatly to the advantage of shippers if those going from the province could all get on the same train and the Live Stock Associations could then undertake some effective advertising. It would also be to the advantage of all exhibitors to have the management notified in due time of the number of entries they might expect so that 2 per perparation could be made. If all intending exhibitors would notify the undersigned, arrangements would at once be made to have all

if all intending exhibitors would no-tify the undersigned, arrangements would at once be made to have all shipments consolidated at some con-venient point, say Brandon, and if pos-hible forwarded on a fast through train.

the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, In which the following paragraph appears: "Mr. Wainwright emphatically states that the Western terminus of the G.T. P. has not yet been either chosen or discussed by the board."

A Missing Man. — Information is wanted of the present address of Camille St. Jacques, born at Saint Ermesse, near Papineauville, Quebee, about the year 1861, and married at St. Andrew, Avellai, about 1883, to Vitelline Pion. He lived at Ottawa from about 1887 to 1890 and left there July 6th, 1890, and went direct to some mines in British Columbia. He was last heard from four years ago. He was a rather tall and athletic man, of fair complexion and stooped as he walked; was extremely near-sighted and wore thick glasses, Any information regarding him will be gratefully received by his daughter, Leonie St. Jacques, 187 McTaggart street, Ottawa.

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greater than that of the first day, and all were well pleased with the splendic exhibits. Last evening the orchestral concert served as an extra star attraction and drew another large crowd. The attendance on the first evening broke all records, which is very gratifying to those who have had the arrangements in hand.

Dawson's Ambition—According to a Dawson of splant for the first first first the manual first mean to a star first firs

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he newspapers who asked for his extra-ition, but the state of California and the resident of the United States. Judge Lampman announced he would re-erve his decision, and remanded the case ntil Saturday, when a decision will prob-bly be given.

A WARNING TO MOTHERS.

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THE FORMATION OF THE NEW PROVINCES.

The "cards" are out for the forma union of Alberta and Saskatchewan, as provinces, with the Dominion of Canada. September 1st has been fixed upon as the inaugural day for Alberta at Ed-monton, and September 4th as the in-Laurier and Hon. Frank Oliver will be ANOTHER "FATHER" DEPARTED. in attendance at those places on those dates, and, we understand, incover it or control it, and following it, after some years, has come the Canadian Northern and now there is the promise of a third transcontinental line reaching

fraught with physical difficulties to contend with-they will each have subsidies, after the maximum has been breached, amounting to \$2,250,000 per annum. When British Columbia has reached the maximum according to population its subventions from Ottawa will still be under half a million, notwith-standing that the cost of administration here will be as nine to one, compared with Alberta or Saskatchewan, and notwithstanding the vast differences in the available areas of agricultural land and possibilities of population, and the fact that the new provinces will never require to pay a cent for railways. is but one cloud in the sky, and although it may not on inaugural day be larger portent of coming troubles. We refer to the school question. As Sir Wilfrid not otherwise. stands upon the rostrum at Regina and surveys the horizon, political as well as physical, and rounds out his beautiful eriods, he will not be able to shut his tract this:

on the very day he pronounces his inaugural blessing upon the new provinces will begin to assume shape and grow and throw out storm signals.

Following the inaugural will come

elections. It has already been announced who are to be the Lieutenant-Governors. Autonomy begins with the first day of September. The Liberals have held a convention at Calgary, at which it has been decided to run the elections or 'party lines." A gerrymander bill was passed at Ottawa during the recent session, which as far as possible throws the control of the vote in the hands of Hon. Frank Oliver, minister of the in-terior. Two Liberals will be called upon to form governments, and the Hon. Mr. Haultain, who for fourteen years has been the leader of the Northwest executive and for the past two or three years has had practically the unanimous support of the Legislature, will be clim-He has declared for non-party Canada Drug & Book Co., J.A. Buckham, lines, but that will not matter. He has mortali; offended the leader of the Liberal party, the autocrat of all Canada, NELSON G. R. Stanley by opposing the school clauses of the autonomy acts and he cannot expect consideration. He must be punished. The most prominent, the most representative, ablest man of the Northwestthe man who has done the most for itwill be ignored, and if it were possible by an act of usurpation he would be snuffed out entirely. Thus far the "machine' posed of all the mechanical details to its entire satisfaction, and if the two prov-inces count be captured in the Liberal interests it will not be the fault of Haultain will not be permitted to go before the people with his own policy. He will not go as leader of a government, because he will not be selected. If he of the two provinces it will be in opposition to a Liberal government. There-fore, he is practically forced to abandon his non-party attitude, unless the Con-servatives, in deference to his views, refrain from organizing on party lines It is a game in which he is playing with opponents whose cards are "stacked."

Geo. Johnson's statistical year book of Canada for 1964, received only a this bylaw. There ment in its favor. vitations have been issued to the few days ago, gave the following as premiers of sister provinces and the surviving Fathers of Confedothers to take part in the eventual celebration. It will be a great day for the Northwest, marking as it does the main factor of the decay in the survival of the properties of the occasion is emphasized by the remarkable development that is going on and the rapid of the original organization as the Territories, the Northwest progressed slowly. It will be a great dauge in the vertice of the occasion is emphasized by the remarkable development that is going on and the rapid of the original 23 vib. met. In conference in 1864 is rapidly disappearing. Since he original 24 vib. met. In conference in 1864 is rapidly disappearing. Since he original 24 vib. met. In conference in the building of the CPR., which are the introduction of CPR., which are the colory he remaining five have gone—them. With McDougall, but a short through without effecting any unusual change. Manitoba to the eastward, organized in 1870, had to be developed and attention was principally directed to it as a field for settlement. It was not until about ten or twelve years ago that the Northwest began to feel the effects of the new antional life that was published the wins of the Dominion and that the Middle West began to slow signs of the first the CPIR. did not affect a great change in the veins of the political properties of the great future steadily being prepared for it. About that time the current of imingiration that had stubbornly flowed to the United States, including even the great future steadily being prepared for it. About that time the current of imingiration that had stubbornly flowed to the United States, including even the great future steadily and representation of Canada, commenced to the first the CPIR. did not affect a great change in the vertice of the current of imingiration that had stubbornly flowed to the United States, including even the repulsive the population of Canada, commenced to the first the CPIR. did not affect a great change in the vertice of the current of interesting in volume. It is now a mighty stream. Althoug eration: Hon, Wm. McDougali, Sir THE WINTER GARDENS AS A PRI-Hector Langevin, Sir Charles Tupper, VATE UNDERTAKING. others to take part in the eventful cele-bration. It will be a great day for the Hector Langevin, Sir Charles Tupper, exists the students of history will visit find it prominently associated with is the period between 1848 and 188£.

balance of power will have been transferred from the East absolutely and permanently to the Middle West—a fact siderable importance foccurring in CUSSED. plaints that news of events of companion to the Middle West—a fact which should give Sir Wilfrid Laurier pause as he surveys from his parlor car and from the forum at Regina the boundless expanse of country stretching away from him in every direction.

The new provinces are entering Confederation under the most favorable auspices. In addition to a great rush of population, to abundant crops and aplentiful supply of money in circulation, making it for the present a paradise for the fortune-hunter, the financial terms under which the provincial governments will enter upon their duties are of the most liberal character. In addition to what it has cost Canada—the people of the other provinces—to bring about the condition of things that now exists—to make possible the present great prosperity—Canada has endowed them financially in a way no other province has been endowed. With ordinary care the provinces need never have worry about revenue. If we compare them with British Columbia—a province in a fact and possible the present great prosperity—Canada has endowed with British Columbia—a province in a fact and possible the present great prosperity—Canada has endowed with British Columbia—a province in the provinces are not encouraged in making those kinds of complaints, it is often necessary in the interests of the match of the province in a fact and possible the present great prosperity—Canada has endowed with some of the American coast cities, while some province has been endowed. With ordinary care the provinces need never have worry included to the province has been endowed. With ordinary care the province says of the province has been endowed. With ordinary care the province says of the province has been endowed. With ordinary care the province says of the province has been endowed. With ordinary care the province says of the province has been endowed. With ordinary care the province says of the province has been endowed to the province of the province has been endowed. With ordinary care the province says of the great prosperity—Canada has endowed them financially in a way no other province has been endowed. With ordinary some of the American coast cities. While readers are not encouraged in the complement of the compl about revenue. If we compare them with British Columbia — a province is often necessary in the interests of truth to admit their force and make ${f explanations}.$ able persons, who imagine that the management in some myster'ous is responsible for it, are not satisfied with the explanation. The daily newspaper in British Columbia is absolutely in the hands of the Associated Press. The news is printed as compiled and sent by agents of the association. There are no other sources of supply, except "specials," and the cost of furnishing special despatches to cover the omissions of the "regular" service is absolutely prohibitive. If Victoria were a city of 100,000 inhabitants and the Colonist had 50,000 subscribers it could af-

> comments of the Calgary Herald on the same subject, from which we ex

are infinitely more interested in Ottawa news than that from Washington, yet President Rooseyelt can't go down on the mud flats of Oyste Bay for a fish without columns of the rot being wired across the Dominion to us at haif a cent a word. The Herald says that even the American settlers in Canada do not want this sort of information. They are thoroughly Canadian and weuid prefer Canadian news, but are forced to take what is supplied."

The News remarks with a good

The News remarks with a good deal of worldly wisdom that it is easier to recognize the evil than to point out a remedy. There are, it says, of excellent newspapers published in the West, from Winnipeg to the Rockies, and it thinks their influ-ence ought to be sufficient to make it possible for them to organize to make them independent of Chicago or St Paul. It says that "Eastern and bring pressure to bear on the news a service; and if that is refused. new system should be organized."

That, let it be remarked, is easier is a remarkable organization and news, as a rule, is reliable and prompt, its energies to great centres and conevents. The service supplied to West ern Canada is not only under American control, but it is without due sense of proportion or an appreciation of our requirements

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. [The Editor does not hold himself responsible for views expressed by correspondents.]

ONE OF THE SIXTY-SEVEN. Sir—Please don't think that this is part of a well known manufacturer's advertisement, because it is not. His trade mark is "57 Varieties." Many of us have been looking for nearly two years for one of "the 67 varieties" that voted against the C. P. R. hotel bylaw. Mr. Boscowitz is the first to acknowledge it; all the others had the grace to get out of town. But perhaps they have all returned under the leadership of this modern Joseph—I nearly said model—and have lined up to oppose this bylaw. There can be no greater argu-There can be no greater argu-

ANOTHER JOSEPH.

porter of the scheme.

As one, therefore, who desires to see Victoria made into a place in which there is something for the people to do besides walk the streets at night, as a place where our residents and their children summer and winter can enjoy the first class music at a minimum cost, as a place that will accourage the overalexton. AMERICANIZATION OF NEWS.

It is an old subject, but not yet worn full sail, seudding before favoring breezes. Having present and prospective development in view there is every reason to assume that in ten years from now the population of Alberta and Saskatchewan will be equal to that of the rest of Canada, so that in reality the balance of power will have been transferred from the East absolutely and permanently to the Wiaha.

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ing to Victoria, because he thought there was more money in it for him in running a 10-cent vandeville show. Aside from this gentleman's opposition to a public institution, the question is, shall the citizens be debarred from erecting their own place of amusement because it is against the interests of Mr. Boscowitz? The way in, which he has treated the public during the past three years cails for no consideration for him. He owns the only theatre in the place, and has promised year after year to renovate it and mike it something more than the place it is, stad because there is no opposition bouse, none of these promises have been fulfilled.

The proposal to equip a hall or theatre of a capacity sufficient for the needs of this city, in a suitable way, and the badly needed swimming baths, together with the other features of the scheme, for the sum asked for from the city council, commends likelf to me, and there ought to be no 6p. position from the people of Victor'a. But is not this discussion at the present time somewhat out of order? Should it not occur after the blaw is really proposed, or is our friend Joseph endeavoring to awaken such opposition so will prevent it ever coming before the public?

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For Northern Bridges.-Henry Gray

High Lord Mayor,—Sir Heary E. Knight, who was Lord Mayor of London in 1882-83, passed through Seattle on Tuesday en route to the Yellowstone Park, San Francisco and Los Angeles, having come west over the C.P.R. The Seattle—Post-Intelligencer—announces that Sir Henry once occupied the curious office of "High Lord Mayor of London";

with its part to play.

Nanaimo. Every arrangement been made looking to the succes the event. This year the route fol-lowed will be through the picturesque gulf islands to Ganges Harbor. The gulf islands to Ganges Harbor. Cecilian orchestra has been engaged to accompany the excursionists, and meals will be procurable on board at

the American Institute of Mining Epi-neers: "Dear Sir.—I am instructed o convey to you the thanks of the coun-l and visiting members and guests of the American Institute of Mining En-neers for your cordial entertainment of he institute party at the interesting

about 800 animals will be wintered there. Up to date there has been about two square miles of coal lands surveyed at the junction of the Telqua and Bulkley valleys, and between 200 and 300 mineral claims have been located within a radius of 40 miles from there on the north and south slopes of the Telqua and on the summit of the Cascade range. Some of these properties run about \$100 is silver and and and up to \$75 in cost we are not set. name of these properties run about \$160 in silver and lead and up to \$75 in copper."

Alaskan Enterprise.—F. F. Evans, of Seattle, who is connected with the Alaska Petroleum Company, a venture in which a number of Victorians are said to be interested, spent yesterday in the city, a guest at the Dominion hotel. Among others interested are President Hotchikin, of the Western Central Gas Association, who is also president of the Port Blakeley Mill Company; T. S. Lippy, owner of 16 Eldorado, and Robert Moran, of the Moran shipyard Seattle, who has just returned from the east. All will be leaving for the north in a few days. They had desired that Mr. Evans should accompany them, but the latter, because of business affairs, will be unable to make the trip. The party intended looking over the vast coal deposits, which geologists have pronounced to be as good as any to be found in the United States, with a view to opening them for commercial usage.

Spence's Bridge Disaster. — F. C. Gamble, chief engineer of the provincial department of public works, has returned from a trip to Spence's Bridge, where he has been to inspect the scene of the recent disaster. Mr. Gamble says he found the Indians in a very sad plight indeed. They are mostly at present living under teuts, but their heavy afflictions seems almost to have robbed them of all power or motive for action. Mr. Gamble said that from what he could see the landslide was a sort of shoulder between two other higher pieces, so that instead of taking the direct course that might have been expected it was forced up stream. It was so oblique that one Indian who stood watching it, thinking it would never come near him, w., swept away by it. The river shore was a desolate looking sight, as it was strewn with the remains of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was said that the bodies of two of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was said that the bodies of two of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was said that the bodies of two of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was said that the bodies of two of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was said that the bodies of two of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was said that the bodies of two of the Indiaus' shattered huts. It was returned from an Inspection trip of British Columbia, as saying: "I have been into the interior of British Columbia, to investigate for clients and myself the agricultural lands of the province from the fruit raising standpoint. In one quite ordinary to be and myself the agricultural lands of the province from the fruit raising standpoint. In one quite ordinary to be and myself the agricultural lands of the province from the fruit raising to the india the province from the fruit raising standpoint. In one quite ordinary to be and myself the agricultural lands of the province from the fruit raising the province from the fruit raising standpoint. In one quite ordinary to be and myself the agricultural lands of the province from the fruit raising standpoint. In one q

Improved Work Car.—The tramway Improved Work Car.—The tramway work car made its first appearance on the run yesterday with an improved box, which will serve to protect the motorneer in bad weather. The addition is wery neatly finished.

Interesting Curio.—An interesting curio is on exhibition in the window of J. M. Cookson's store on Johnson street, t is in the form of a piece of lead pipe n which a rat had become caught. In ts endeavors to yet out it had actor. m which a rat had become caught. It its endeavors to get out it had eaten a hole in the pipe large enough to get its hind quarters were wedged in so tight that it was impossible to get over the other, and after having eaten through the pipe he was forced to give up the light for liberty.

Double-Tracking

Double-Tracking.—A large squad of workmen are at present employed by the Tramway Company in double-tracking the part of their system on the Esquimalt run on Bay street between Government and Work streets. A start has been made at the Government street end, which will give them a line to run their cars on with the filling to widen the embankment. The work will be pushed through to an early completion. A long stretch of double-track will then do away with the necessity of having a tedious wait near Rock Bay bridge.

Uses a Megaphone.—The observation or continues to carry a large number tourists every day. So great was the mand for seats yesterday that it was come very proficient with the monone and does not fail to make him

A Quiet Day.—Yesterday was par-icularly quiet in Victoria, most of he business houses being closed in rder to permit the employees to at-end the merchants' picnic at Lang-ord Plains. Quite a number of tour-sts were in the city, however, and en-uirles were numerous from them as sion of business. Housekeepers were not at all embarrassed, however, as on the previous evening the provision

hour.

A Popular Resort.—A point on Vancouver Island which this season is proving extremely popular with sportsmen and tourists in search of a quiet retreat is Campbell Riyer, on the east coast. It is said that the number visiting that place this year is so great that plans are being discussed for the erection next season of a good-sized hotel. On Monday last a fishing party headed by Mr. James Dunsmuir left on the steamer Thistie for Campbell Riyer, intending to take advantage of the excellent sport to be had now at that point.

Mishap to Scow .- The Mishap to Scow.—The steamship Scose, belonging to the Guif of Georgia Fishing Company, arrived at Nanalmo yesterday towing a big scow upside down. The Flosie had been towing this scow with a load of blue clay from Nanoese Bay to Ladysmith and arrived at Yellow Point about 4 o'clock. At this point the sea was running pretty high and the waves turned the scow turtle, depositing the cargo at the bottom of the guif and forcing the Flosie to tow her in that condiion to Nanaimo. Forumately no damage was done.

Re Money Orders.—The Canadian Bankers' Association will try to recover the money order business of Canada, which is now almost entirely done by different express companies and the government postoffice department. This action will end the practice of banks of charging 15 cents on a cheque whether it was \$3. partment. This action will end the practice of banks of charging 15 cents on a cheque whether it was \$3 or \$50, and any amount under \$5 will, according to the new rates agreed on, be put through for the charge of three cents; from \$5 to \$10 a charge of six cents; from \$10 to \$20 for 10 cents, and from \$20 to \$50 for 15 cents.

Porcelain Jars.—In an article dealing with the season's salmon pack, the Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "The highest price that is brought for any salmon canned on Puget Sound is for the porcelain jars which are sold only to the English market. There are only three canneries on the Sound that handle salmon in this shape. These canneries have special. he Sound that handle salmon in this hape. These canneries have special contracts and sell to a large London prokerage firm. The method of packing in porcelain jars is practically new. It was started two years ago." The porcelain jars referred to were intented and introduced on this coast by S. M. O'Kell, of Victoria.

Won't Open Schools.—The committee appointed at Vancouver to consider the question of re-opening the schools decided that it would be inadvisable to reopen at present. The committee consisted of Dr. C. J. Fagan, provincial medical health officer; Dr. W. B. McKechnie, chairman of the school board, and Dr. Underhill, city medical health officer. Dr. Underhill, city medical health officer. Dr. Underhill showed the other members the official reports he had received from medical men and parents regarding the cases of whooping cough and measles. As a result Dr. Fagan came to the conclusion that it would be unwise to reopen the city schools at present and will report to the minister of education to that effect.

Stopped the Fight.—Rev. William Hughes, who inaugurated a moral reform wave at Nanaimo some months ago, is now in Dawson, where he is similarly active. A Dawson despatch dated August 8th says: "The fight between Philadelphia Jack O'Brien and Twin Sullivan, which was billed to take place on Thursday, the 10th, has been called off occause trouble. The lawyers all say that the fight is legal, but the minister says he will carry the case to the Superior court of Canada, if necessary, and the directors of the D. A. A. A., under whose auspices the fight was to be pulled off, are not prepared for expensive littigation, so have declared the mill off." Stopped the Fight.—Rev.

Revising Voters' Lists.—Notice igiven in yesterday's issue of the Provincial Gazette that courts of revision will be held at Ashcroft on Novembe 6th and at Cranbrook on Septembe 25th to amend the voters' lists.

Cattle for Japan.—The first shipment of Canadian cattle for Japan will leave by the steamer Athenian, leaving Vancouver on September 18th. The animals number 40, and were purchased by the Japanese government to be used for breeding purposes.

To Handle Coal.—The Wellington Coal & Wharfage Company, Limited, has been incorporated with a capital of one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each, to acquire and take over the good will of the business now carried on in Vancouver under the style or firm of Macdonald, Marpole & Company.

Electric Light Statistics.—At the public meeting held in Ladysmith the other evening for the uppose of discussing proposals for the installation of an electric light and the control of t of an electric light sy.em. Mayor Co-burn quoted some interesting statis-ties. He pointed out that in Van-couver large hotels pay for the ligh at the rate of \$65 per month, business houses \$11 per month, and residences from 75 cents to \$2. In New West-minster hotels average \$20 monthly business houses \$4 and residences \$3 in Nanalmo the city pays 31 cents per night per street light. New Westmin-ster, operating its own mant, charger up 30 cents. Vanceuver pays 25½ cents, Victoria 23.67. In 194-4 Nanalmo

Situation at Fernie.—Apropos of the situation at Nanalmo, a new and important departure, showing the good feeling existing between the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company and the United Mine Workers, has been tak-Nest Pass Coal Company and the United Mine Workers, has been taken at Fernie. The following notice has been posted at Coal Creek mines. It is printed in three languages, Italian, Slavonian and English: "To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that on and after September 1st, 1905, the members of the United Mine Workers of America, employed by the different coal companies in the Crow's Nest districts, will not work with those who refuse to sign the contract and check-off books as agreed between the coal composite sign the contract and check-off books as agreed between the coal com-

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Appointments. — The following appointments are gazetted: Charles Nelson Haney, of Vancouver, to be acting official administrator for the county of Vancouver, from the 15th day of August; Michael Pembroke Empey, of Harrison river, to be a deputy game warder for the Dewdney electoral district.

Permanent Walks.-The work laying the new permanent sidew is progressing very rapidly. Joh street Was finished yesterday. Yatès street the workmen will sidewalks Johnson Is progressing very rapidly. Johnson street Was finished yesterday. On the street was through today, with the exception of a small piece near the Clarence hotel, which awaits a decision to extend to the east side of Douglas street. On Douglas street a long stretch from Herald street to Queen's avenue has already been laid, and the work of grading to the fountain is being pushed. Government street has received a stretch from the fountain to Pembroke Street and will be finished right up to Fisguard in a few days. The stretch on the west side, from the fountain to Orchard street, has been finished. The next streets to be undertaken will be in the James Bay district, and the work will be hurried in order that as much as possible may be finished before the wet weather.

The jewelery sale which has been in progress for the past ten days at 92 Government street by W. T. Hardaker, the auctioneer, will continue today and tomorrow, when the auctioneer expects to complete the sale of the jewelery. On

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LOCAL NEWS.

Married at 'Frisco.—Letters received yesterday from San Francisco contain the interesting information that Mr. George Piper and Miss Lazzie Johnston, both well known in Nanaimo, were mar-ried in San Francisco on Saturday last, August 12th.

amormation Wanted.—Mrs. Emily Ferries, of Leyton, England, writes to the bureau of provincial information asking for news of her husband, John Ferries, who was in Victoria in June last and is supposed to have gone to Vancouver.

for Northern Bridges.—Henry Gray of San Flancisco, purchasing agent of the Klondike Mines railway, is arrang ing for the shipment of six cars of stee bridge work which has just arrived at Vancouver from Pittsburg over the C P. R. It will be sent North on the Princess Beatrice or Amur.

Teacher Appointed.—Miss E. S. Lovell has been appointed to a position on the teaching staff of the Boys' Central school, this being done in the hope that it will meet the difficulty of properly caring for the increased number of pupils now in attendance, the increase at the school manticed

number of pupils now in attendance, the increase at the school mentioned this term being no less than 110.

Made a Match.—During his term of office as Mayor of Vancouver Dr. McGuigan received a letter from England in which the writer desired to be placed in communication with a desirable man with a view to matrimony. The letter

Letter of Thanks.—Thomas Kiddie general manager of the Tyce smelter at Ladysmith, has received the following letter from R. W. Raymond, secretary of the American Institute of Mining Ep

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American Tourists Tell of the Marvelous Cavern at Ross Peak.

A New Mecca for Sightse is In the Great Mountainous Country.

The distinguished honor of being the first ladies to visit the now famous Deutschman cave at Ross peak falls to the lot of two American tourists, Mrs. Chas. Schaffer and Miss Vaux, of Phil-adolphia, Penn., who were spending a few days sight-seeing at the Glacier last weeks, says the Revelstoke Herald, Hearing of the recent wonderful discov-ory in that vicinity they determined to investigate it for themselves. The Her-ald is indebted to Mrs. Chas. Schaffer for the following interesting account of their trip:

for the following interesting account of their trip:

The new cave discovered so recently at Ross peak, and at present taking the name of the discoverer, Mr. Clars. Deutschman, has been described by discoverer, reporter, explorer—all men.

On July 31st a different phase of investigation was made, and the cave was explored for the first time by two women. Having spent a number of years in the Canadian Rockies, we had some faint idea of the proper way to gown for so rough a trip as this was reported to be, and as I hope this little description will reach those who would venture, if they but knew the delignts and pleasures of the expedition, a hint as to the same might not be amiss.

I Wear something that water, mud, stones and briars will not spoil or tear, an easy mind helps one over many hard places. Wear a good stout pair of boots well greased, with a few hob nails to avoid slipping. Either boots to the

ent no man knows were river loses itself. Not far cers! Pass there is a torrent from the mountain side. At

Fun and Frolic Out at Langford

Fourth Annual Merchants' Picnic Quite the Success Anticipated.

Splendid Programme of Races Which Afforded the Keenest Interest.

The fourth annual merchants' plenle took place at Langford Plains yesterday, under the most anspicious circumstances. With weather just right for the sports, a large number took advantage of the opportunity to go out into the country for the day. The E. & N. railway gave a good service, and carried full loads on all three trips. The committee had all arrangements in good order and ran off all the events in fine style. The races were all fevery evenly contested, und excated a great deal of interest. In the 100 yard open race, so evenly were the contestants matched that it needed four trials before the winner could be selected. In the first three runs Moore and Munro ran even, but in the fourth Moore managed to win by about a foot. The mile open was also very close, Christopher winning from Mellor by about 5 yards.

All of the events were well 'lled, some

100 yarus, vr.—
Mellmoyl.
Fat ladies' race—Mrs. McKenzie,
Asbury, Mrs. Mittalstate.
Fat men's race—M. Blackstock
Smith, J. Taylor.
Potato race, ladles—Mrs. Clayton,

ert, D. Tait, Throwing herriault, H. baseball.

Notices of Interest to Members of the Local Militia.

In orders just issued by officers commanding the Fifth regiment, Capt. D. B. McConnan, who vacates the appointment of adjutant upon promotion, is to be major. The infantry training, 1905, will be taken into use immediately. Each officer commanding a company will receive two copies on application to the acting adjutant.

No. 2 company (late Nos. 3 and 4) will parade at the drill hall on Wednesday evening. August 30th, at 8 o'clock. Section and sub-section commanders will warn every man and notify those who have any of the following articles in their possession to return them at this parade: Belts, frogs, bayonets, ball pouches and haversacks, so that the turning over of stores, etc., may be completed at once.

D. B. McCONNAN, Major.

A militia order requests officers commanding units, corps, etc., authorized to wear any special badge or distinctive uniforms to forward the director of clothing and equipment samples of the badge or badges, buttons, etc., to be used as patterns, and to state whether the badges are for cap, shoulder or collar; also to quote the general order authorizing the wearing of the articles. The information is required for the new dress regulations.

SPORTING NEWS.

CRICKET.

CRICKET.

Yorks Plays International.

L. S. V. York has been notified by John E. Hall, seercary of the Canadian Cricket Association, that he has been selected as a representative of the Canadian team to meet a team from the United States, which will be played on the 28th, 29th and 30th of this month on the Rosedale grounds, Toronto. A wire has been sent by Mr. York stating that he will be on hand. This is the first time that a Britist. Columbian has been selected to fill a place on the team, and is an honor which many tried for, but did not succeed.

York is a native son, having been born in this city. He spent his younger days in the Old Country, where he learnt cricket. From 1894 till 1898 he was a member of the Albion Cricket Club. The next two years he was with the Fifth Regiment; since then he has been playing with the Victoria Club.

Since playing in senior company York has secred over a century on five occasions, as follows: July 24, 1897, Fifth Regiment vs. Albion, 103 not out; July 4, 1901, Victoria vs. Tacoma, 103 not out. In the same match he and his brother put on 218 runs for the fourth wicket, his brother scoring 126. This is the only occasion on which two centuries have been made in one game in Victoria. Last year he made centuries on three occasions, 148 in Seattle on May 28th, 103 not out against Tacoma and on August 6th he put on a score of 117 against a combined team of Seattle and Tacoma. This season he has been keeping up his record. Although he has not made any centuries he made 80 against the Garrison and 91 at Seattle. His best exhibition of cricket was in Vancouver on July 1st, when he made 24 not out in a manner that showed he was a master with the bat. His average so far this season is 38, which is considered by cricketers to be very good, and has for the last three years had the batting average. Besides being a good bat, he is a very useful bowler, and in the Garrison game took seven wickets for 26 runs. He bowls in a very stat movement, but delivers a slow ball, which is very puzzli

Lawyers' Meeting.

neeting of the Victoria lawyers be held this afternoon in the house to discuss the challenge game of baseball, which has

LAWN TENNIS.

A Rithet vs. Seattle: Frank Seattle: Seattle: Frank Seattle: Seattle:

Mr. Fowler, late of Greenwood, and formerly a large owner in the Providence mine, and Mrs. Fowler are in the city, en route to Portland and Scotland via San Francisco. Mr. Fowler has prospected extensively in British Columbia, and will in all probability return to permanently reside here.

NOTICE is hereby given that 1 intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for a transfer to Minnie Wetmore of my license to sel, wines and liquors by retail upon the premises situate on the Southeast corner of Johnson and Wharf Streets, in the City of Victoria. B. C., known as the Occidental Hotel. Dated this 10th day of August, A. D. 1905.

Autil Two thousand pounds No. 6 B. & S. Coppore Wire.

Specifications for the above can be seen at the office of the understand, properly signed, sealed, and endorsed as above. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent for the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., August 3, 1905.

Attempts Suicide When Arrested

Man Charged With Passing Bogus Cheques Slashed His Throat.

Detectives Grasped His Arm in Time to Prevent Serious lajury.

about 29 years of age, wearing glasses, of dark complexion and clad in a dark suit.

Detective Macdonald located him at the Regent saloon yesterday afternoon and arrested him, Mr. Carroll, bartender of the Horseshoe identifying him as the man who passed the cheque there. He had in his possession rubber stamps and a pad, evidently used in dating and certifying cheques. There was a date stamp and one with the word "Certificd."

Three places are said to have been been victimized in Vancouver, George Bailey's cigar store on Cordova street, at which a bogus cheque is said to have been cashed for \$20; the Three Star liquor store accepted one for \$10, and the Palace hotel cashed two, one for \$20 and another for \$5. He

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BRAND THE VERY BEST

PIONEER COFFEE & SPICE MILLS, LD VICTORIA, B. C.

TENDERS

For Electric Machinery

Tenders will be received up to 4 p. m. on Monday, the 28th Instant, for One new Dynamo of 230 lights capacity; One Exciter; One Switch Board; Three Transformers of 50 lights capacity each; One hundred and fifty Long Burning Arc Lamps; Two thousand pounds No. 6 B. & S. Copper Wire.

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Specifications for the above can be seen at the office of the understrated, to whom all tenders must be addressed, properly signed, scaled, and endorsed as above.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHOUSER

SPORTSMEN! ATTENTION!

In about two weeks the open season for Grouse, Deer and Ducks wiveled.

Do Not Delay until the last moment to look over your Firearms, if you have any repairs to be made, send them along to us at once. We have special tools for reboring shotgun barrels, and executing any kind of repair work. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS.

HUTCHISON BROS., Mechanical Engineers, Broughton, Victoria. Tel. 1179

SHORTHAND SCHOOL—15 Bread Street. Bookke-plng thoroughly taught; also shorthand and typewriting. E. A. Mac-millan, principal.

LAND SURVEYORS GORE & McGREGOR, Provincial and Do-minion Land Surveyors, Civil and Min-ner Engineers, Chancery Chambers, Bastion Square, Victoria, Tel 501A jy15

las street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, August 12, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have ought out the business of Yick Yuen & O., at 180 Government street, and will of be responsible for any debts contracted by Yick Yuen & Co.
July 25, 1905.

MAN CHONG & CO.

STEWART'S

Nicola and Princeton Royal Mail, Excess and Stage Line.—Stage leaves genee's Bridge every Thursday at 6 a. m. or Nicola, Aspen Grove, Bear Creek, odder Creek, odder Creek of Princeton mining camps; returning, aves Princeton every Sunday, 6 a. m. arving at Nicola Monday evening, leaving or Spence's Bridge, Tuesday, 6 a. m. caves Spence's Bridge every Saturday, 6 m., for Nicola. Leaves Kamloops every onday at 6 a. m. for Quilchea, Nicola dispence's Bridge, Leaves Nicola every riday for Spence's Bridge. Special trips

NOTICE is nereby given that I intend apply at the next sitting of the Licensig Board for a transfer of my fluor cense for the sale of wines and liquors y retail on the premises known as the trand Hotel, Victoria, to Charles Hy. Fright and John Randberg.

1 pated this 19th day of July, 1905.

1 jy21 W. H. SHEWEN.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

VICTORIA.

TENDERS FOR DEBENTURES.

NDERS, senied and endorsed "Tenfor Debentures," will be received at
office of the undersigned, until Monthe 18th day of September next, at
m. for the purchase, in whole or in
of Debentures of the Corporation of
City of Victoria, as follows:
Debentures amounting to \$100,000,00,
d under authority of the "Sewers
Guarantee By-law, 1905," numbered
dated the lest August, 1905, and mag 1st August, 1955.

d under authority of the "Electric
ting Loan By-law, 1905," No. 457,
t the 1st August, 1905, and maturing
ist August, 1915.

upon the credit of the Municipality as a whole; their denominations are No. 1, \$1,000,00 cach; No. 2, \$500,00 cach, and they bear interest at 4 per cent, per annum, payable half yearly, the principal and interest being payable at the office of the Bank of British North America, either in Victoria, B. C., Montreal, London, England, or New York, U. S. A.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will nay. In addition to the net price, the purchaser will have to pay to the Corporation the interest on the said Debentures for the period between the 1st August, 1905, and the date of the receipt of the purchase money by the City Treasurer.

Trensurer.
The Cornoration does not bind itself to accept any tender.
W. J. DOWLER.
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C.
August 4, 1905.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

of the Victoria-Vancouver Transportation
Company.
In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

James Dougias Warren and Beaumont
Boggs, Assignee of the Estate of
James Dougias Warren,
Plaintiffs,

W. RIDGWAY-WILSON, Architect. 6 Bas-tion Square, Victoria, B. C. Telephone B931.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL-118 Douglas St. Rooms to let for housekeeping from \$1

THE DOMINION—Victoria, B. C. Only, modern first-class hotel in the city. Rates \$1.50 per day and upwards. S. Jones, preprietor.

VICTORIA

THE GORDON-Yates Street. First class in every respect. Fifty spacious, home like rooms. Terms very moderate. Mrs. J. Aberdeen Gordon, proprietress. Cel. 1018. P. O. Box 49.

FERNON HOTEL-Victoria's leading commercial and tourist hotel. First class in every respect. Rates \$2 up.

HOTEL SIDNEY - Only seventeen mile from Victoria. One of the most attract ive resorts on Vancouver island; soo roads, fine boating, two-mile beach, view unsurpassed. Hotel rates, \$1.50 per day William Jensen, proprietor.

GRAND PACIFIC HOTEL-Corner John son and Store streets. Bar supplied with HAAD FACIFIC HOLEST-Corner and son and Store streets. Bar supplied wi best brands of whes, liquors and cigar Good rooms in connection. Open d and night. Lorenzo Reda, proprietor.

REVERD HOUSE—First class furnished rooms and table board that can be rec ommended. Telephone connection. No 105 Pandora avenue. myl

NEW WESTMINSTER

HOTEL DOMINION—Abboit Street, Van couver, B. C. Convenient to railway and wharves. Rates, \$1.25, \$1.50. Free 'but to and from all trains an' beats. F. Baynes, proprietor.

HOTEL LELAND - Corner Granville and Hastings streets; one block from depot and steamship wharves; \$2 a day.

HOTEL BELLA VISTA—Tourlsts' sportsmen's headquarters. Five from Harrison Hot Springs. Rates to \$2.00 per day, or \$5.00 per week. Probert, proprietress. C. Jukman,

HOTEL BALMORAL—The leading hote of Boundary's leading mining camp; cen traily located; good sample rooms, J A. McMaster, proprietor.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL—Best commercial house in town; good sample rooms.

UNION HOTEL — First class \$2 per day house. Choice brands liquors and cigars.

J. Haughton, proprietor.

NELSON

STRATHCONA HOTEL — Strictly first class; headquarters for tourists doing

ROSSLAND

HOTEL ALLEN-Stop at the Hotel Allen, the lending house of Rossland.

THE B. C. HOTEL—Homeseekers will find best accommodation here. New hotel. Rates from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per day. Percy Marks, proprietor. aux

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of the license now held by me for the sale of splittuous and fermented liquors by retail, upon the premises situate on the west side of Government street, and known as the "Victoria Hotel," to W.A. Millingten and F. A. Wolfenden.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1905.

au1 (Sd.) EDWARD CAVE

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at the city of Victoria at their next sitting as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of the license now held by me for the sale of spirituous and republication of the city of victoria.

Jack of the city of Victoria.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1905, au3 (Signed) JAS. STUCKEY.

MELBOURNE HOTEL—John Gaugler, pro-prietor, corner Westminster avenue and Powell street, Vancouver, B. C. Rates \$1.00 per day and up. Special rates to steady boarders. Telephone 1808. aud THE COMMERCIAL—Turkish baths; best \$2 a day house in the city. Prescett & Heywood, proprietors.

STRAND HUTEL—European and American plans. Rates moderate, First-class rooms and cafe in connection. One block from depot and steamboat wharves.

HOTEL NORTH YANCOUVER—New and up-to-date; rates \$2.60 per day. Special rates for families and regular boarders Finest summer resort on the Coast Ferry service every hour to and from this botel, foot of Carrall street. P. Larson, Proprietor.

ASHCROFT - The Grand Central; most convenient hotel in Ashcroft; sample rooms for commercial men; hot and cold baths. sepresentative meets trains and stages. George Ward, proprietor.

TROUT LAKE

REVELSTOKE

YALE HOTEL—The leading hotel of the Boundary country; everything first-class. A. Traunwelser, proprietor.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL - Home for an people traveling to and from Poplar. McLachian Bros., proprietors.

COLDSTREAM HOTE*.—Opposite station Special inducements to commercial travelers.

class; headquarters for tourists doing British Columbia. B. Tompkins, manager

COMMERCIAL HOTEL—Headquarters for the prospectors and miners of the Sim-likameen. Rates \$8 per week; board and room, \$1.50 per day. H. W. Yates, pro-prietor.

HOTEL COLONIAL — Opposite Court House, Best hotel in town. Rates from \$1.50 up. John M. Insley, proprietor.

AGASSIZ

C. P. R. HOTEL-Popular resort for tour ists. Good boating and fishing. F. W. Padmore, proprietor.

HUME HOTEL-The leading commercial house of the Kostenays. F. Hume, pro-

HEDLEY.

HOTEL SIMILKAMEEN—The largest and most modern hotel in the Similkameen; all conveniences, electric light, telephone, baths, etc: sample rooms. Rates \$2.50 per day. A. McDermott, proprietor. iv30

PENTICTON.

Boggs, Assignee of the Estate of James Douglas Warren,

and
Thomas Mathews, Administrator of the Estate of Samuel Barber, deceased, Defendant, Take NoTice that by an order for judgment in this action, dated 13th November, 1901, it was ordered that out of the moneys to be received by the undersigned from the defendant, I should interalla satisfy pro rata such debts as were incurred by the above named partnership firm, the Victoria-Vancouver Transportation Company, of which the above named J. D. Warren was a member, and I DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the said partnership firm are required to forward to the undersigned particulars of their claims, duly verified, on or before the Sin day of September, 1905, after which date I will proceed to distribute the funds in my hands in accordance with the derms of said order, and so far as the law binds me having regard on!— to the claims of which I shall then have notice.

Of No. 42 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Assignee of the Estate of James Douglas Warren.

Warren.

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to apply at the next sitting of the Liquor license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail on the premises known as the Rock Bay Hotel, corner Bridge and Work streets, Victoria city, to Nells Hansen.

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Licensing Commissioners at their next sitting for a transfer of the quor liquors by retail, on the premises the Rock Bay Hotel, corner Bridge and Work streets, Victoria city, to Nells Hansen.

Victoria B. C. Luly 26, 1905.

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MOWAT'S GROCERY 77 Vates Street

A. Williams & Co., Ltd

104 YATES STREET.

FOR SALE-140 acres, partly improved \$1.500.

FOR SALE - 50 acres, small orchard; \$1,250.

FOR SALE-51/2 acres good land, all cleared and fenced (close in); \$850.

FOR SALE-House, 6 rooms, in good or der, wisth bath-\$750.

B.C. Land & Investment

Agency Ltd.

40 GOVERNMENT STREE

\$4(x)—Lot on Toronto street, near Men zies. Can have sewer connection.

VICTORIA WEST-\$1,300-5 roomed co-tage; electric light, etc., large corner lo-with orchard. Easy terms.

CHEAP BUSINESS LOT-Lot corner Government and Pembroke streets, for sale cheap, to close an estate.

FIFTH ST.—\$150. 3 lots 60x135 each; no rock; nicely situated. \$150 each.

\$100 CASH and \$25 per month will but a good \$6,000 2 storey dwelling, with basement, brick and stone foundation and all modern improvements.

\$100 CASH and \$15 per month will buy six roomed house on Menzies stre bath sewer and electric light.

CHEAP LOTS—Fairfield Estate. \$100 for lots 50x120; water lots \$200 each. \$1 cask, \$10 per month; interest 4 pe

AMES BAY-Full sized lots, \$400 each well located. \$50 cash, \$10 per month.

SIMCOE ST.-Lot 60x240, all cleared, ex-cellent soil; only \$800.

NSTALMENT PLAN—Houses for sale on this plan all over the city. Why pay rent when you can buy a home on the terms we offer?

FARM—Beautifully situated on Vancouver Island; 16 mile of water frontage; 30 acres under crop, which is the drained and all fenced; 1 acre in orchard; 1 acre in garden; handsome modern dwelling; on the first orchard; 1 acre in sparled; but of the first orchard; 2,500 worth of livestock, implements and crop on hand; good fishing and shooting; only 3 miles from railway station. Price \$15,000. Full particulars at office.

SAANICH DISTRICT—Handsome residence, new and completely furnished; and 66 acres of land on water front (I mile of sen frontage). 22 acres cultivated, 15 cleared for pasturage, balance wooded; also 7 roomed cettage; first class stable. Full particulars at office.

STANLEY AVE. - Lots 58r105, only \$400

INVESTMENT—Two 14 storey houses in James Bay; well located; net revenue 1 per cent.; all modern improvements.

\$300-Victoria West. Full sized lot (corner); new picket fence.

BEACON HILL-Lots 50x150 each, facing the Park, \$900 each; also 1 lot 46x150 \$800; corner lot for \$000.

OUL BAY-Water lots for sale. Call for particulars.

OOMS TO LET-Unfurnished rooms In Five Sisters' Block (heated), \$5 pe

\$60 5 roomed cottage, and lot 50x120 stable and chicken house; a few fruitrees; insured for \$700. A bargain.

THIRD ST. -\$300. Lot 50x133, front and

FOURTH ST. \$350. Lot 50x133, between Eav street and King's road.

HILLSIDE FARM ESTATE—Lote \$50 and upwards; also acreage in small nareels of from one to five acres; all deared and under cultivation, at before pick prices. SIXTH ST-2 lots, corner. \$200 cach.

WHARF TO RENT at foot of Yates stres with warehouse; rent, \$50 per month Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agend

TO RENT-Offices, Government street, large from rooms on 1st floor facing Government street, all modern conveniences. Also law offices on Bastion street. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street, left.

BUSINESS PROPERTY \$5,500 will buy a lot 65x94, very central and just off Gov ernment street, with improvements.

O RENT-Flat of 16 rooms; centrally ic cated; moderate rent B C Land & In cated; moderate rent B C Land a Investment Agency, ad., 40 Government street.

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h, upwards.

cask, \$10 per month; cent. only; best of soil.

WATER LOT-\$800 will buy a water on ,St. Lawrence street, James Bay.

\$700-Lot Humboldt street, 60x120

FOR SALE--13 acres, 5 cleared, stock, good buildings, etc.; \$3,000.

FOR SALE

Swinerton & Oddy

102 GOVERNMENT STREET.

5 ROOMED COTTAGE—Hot water con nections, electric light; stable; lots 60: 120 each; fruit trees; nice lawn. \$2,500

3 LOTS-Stanley avenue. \$400 each. LOT-60x135, Jubilee avenue. \$400.

Several 8 1.3 acre pieces, 6 miles out, at good land; just the thing for fruit, and nice location.

Some CHOICE ACRE BLOCKS for sale all good cultivated land.

10 ACRES- Lake district; 4 cleared; goosol; 4 roomed dwelling; barn and chicken houses; 80 fruit trees; 9 miles from city; horse, rig, implements, pouttry and furniture included in price \$1,000.

154 ACRES-Salt Spring Island, 10 clear ed, 10 slashed; 3 roomed house; goo barn 50x40; new shed; poultry house; o chard of 100 trees, bearing. Only \$1.300

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE. In amounts of \$500 and upwards, at cur-rent rates of interest. Insure in the Connecticut Fire Insurance Company

A. W. Bridgman

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81X EXCELLENT BUILDING LOTS on Yates and Johnson, above Cook; assessed \$4,450; to be sacrificed at \$2,500. PROSPECT LAKE-64 acres; extensive

water front; cottage; stable; boathouse; carge alder bottom—\$30.00 per acre; very casy terms. HHAD OF ARM-9 acres; extensive water frontage; some clearing; good well. \$750 cash.

VIEW STREET, above Vaucouver; fu sized lot, deep loam; to close an estat-no reasonable offer refused.

WAN LAKE-6 acres, all fenced, par entityated; black loam; living stream-\$1,000.

GLANFORD AVENUE-Ten acres in cultivation-\$1,000.

KINGSTON ST.—Seven roomed house; large lot; modern conveniences; stable— \$2,200.

▼ICTORIA WEST—Six roomed house; cost \$800, for \$450 cash.

FUPERIOR STREET-Pretty, modern bungalow, with large lot-\$4,200.

NOYAL CAK-241 acres, 15 in cultivation, 4½ in bearing orchard; comfortable house; cuthulidings; luving stream; beau-tiful situation. Price on application.

FORT SIMPSON—Lote in first addition to Hudson's Bay Co.'s townsite—\$150 in-side; \$175 corners. GOVERNMENT STREET-Suite of offices excellent position for dentist or lawyer

FOR RENT-Thirty houses in various parts of city-

MONEY TO LOAN FIRE AND ACCURENT INSURANCE

The Stuart Robertson Co., Ltd.

36 Broad Street

TO RENT-Furnished house of 7 rooms modern; for 6 months or 1 year. \$35 pe TO LET-8 room house, Superior street two 7 room houses, Stanley avenue every convenience.

FOR SALE Good building lot, Kingston

FOR SALE-Two acre lot on St. Charl

FOR SALE-4 houses, close in, a bargain, for \$2,100.

SALE Two good houses. Stanley nue, on easy terms, \$2,500 each.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE.

Pemberton & Son

Real Estate, Financial and Insuran-Agents, 45 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C. FARMS FOR SALE IN COWICHAN DIS

160 ACRES All fenced, 80 cultivated no rocks; no stumps; well drained; bal ance mostly good, partly cleared. The whole farm is black and red loam 2 to 6 feet deep; 6 room house; numer one outbuildings.

72 ACRES 40 improved, 12 cultivated; 7 room house, barn, etc; some very valuable pottery clay and brick earth, and water power on this property.

91 ACRES—3 cultivated, 20 slashed; 3 room house. \$1,000.

COWICHAN DISTRICT—200 acres for sale or lease; good land; cheap; very large outside range of good pacture Pemberton & Son. 45 Fort street.

J. Stuart Yates

22 BASTION STREET

FOR SALE CHEAP-Land within two min-ntes' walk of Gorge tramway terminus, in any quantity to suit intending pur-chasers.

FINE FIVE ACRE BLOCKS between Gorge and Burnside roads, en easy terms. Reduction made to first burchaser of land sold under new subdivision.

50 ACRES-40 cultivated, 20 logged and part stumped, 5 slashed and part logged 9 room house, pantry, etc.; orchard barn, stabling, chicken houses etc.; ur falling supply of water piped to house and barn yard; soil rich, deep loam. 8914 ACRES-Facing on lake; 30 acres cleared, 18 swamp In hay, 314 acres slashed; S room house, barn, stable, etc., near station.

\$2,200—6-roomed house, with attic, modern in every respect; lot 50x123.

10 ACRES-6-room cottage, barn and out buildings; 9 miles from city.

FOR SALE—As a going soneern, goodwill and fursture of a large first-class private bourding and lodging house, doing a thriving business; best of furniture; cheap. For full particulars apply B. C. Land & Investment Agevey, Limited, 40 Government Street

FIRE INSURANCE (Phoenix of London)
MONEY TO LOAN.

Peaumont Boggs, Real Estate & Insurance Agent, 42 Fort S

FOR SALE-160 acres on Cowichan river house, and other implements. Price \$1,500.

FOR SALE—50 acre farm at Somenos; 10 acres market garden, 16 acres pasture, 10 slashed; house, barn, etc. For quick sale, price \$1,800.

FOR SALE—5 acre blocks of fruit land in "North Dairy." "Strawberry Vale." "Cedarvale" and "Cadboro Bay Park" subdivisions. Prices from \$25 to \$130 per sere.

TO CLOSE ESTATE—Offers will be re-ceived up to noon Saturday, July 15, 1905, for the purchase of two valuable city water front lots, with buildings. MUST BE SOLD. FOR SALE—Lots on Clarence street, James Bay. Price \$400.

FOR SALE-Good business block on Yates screet returning good interest on the in-ALSO Section 16 Esquimalt district-CHEAP. FOR SALE-5 room house in James Bay; will be sold at a bargain for \$1,100.

To Homeseekers

LOST—On Government or Fort street, a diamond and sapphire cluster ring. Re-ward at this office. REAL ESTATE OFFICE,
20 BASTION STREET.
I am now offering at reasonable prices,
and to sult purchasers, some of the finest
sites in Victoria, sultable for residential
purposes; also acreage, good rich soil,
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about 1,200 acres at Beaver creek. six miles southeast of Trail. has been purchased by a syndicate consisting of Messrs, James Hunter, Robert Hunter, Smith Curtis, Langford and S. Lawson of Rossland, and okabagan peaches, for instance, are an unch hetter fruit than is to be found on the Vancouver market, and they command is beautifully situated and admirably higher prices than the local market is willing to pay. I brought some boxes of which the Northwest Territories will furnish an inexhaustible market. This was the first land taken up in this part of the Kootenays, having been located by Victoria people about 15 years ago.

The land has been laid out into blocks containing about 30 to 40 nerves, each block extending from the river front to the railway track. A reserve for a road or boulevard about three miles along the river front has been made and other roads have been laid out at convenient distances.

Each block will be furnished with a practically unlimited supply of water to be taken from Beaver creek, about two miles from the Columbia river.

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Work has been commenced on the irrigating system. About two miles of the right of way is cleared and about one mile of grading done. There will be about 2,000 feet of flume three feet wide and two feet deep, carrying 750 inches of water. This flume will empty into a large ditch a mile and a half long and below this there, will be about a mile of large wooden pipe. The above constitutes the main system. Branch wooden pipes will extend from the mains to the river front. Furnishing each block with plenty of water under pressure.

About \$20,000 will be expended on the Territories who are tired of the severe winters of that region.

As the climate and land is unsurpassed for fruit growing, with plenty of water and an unlimited market, there is no doubt that those who purchase kind at Sayward can make beautiful homes, which, in a few years, will bring them in large incomes. Incidentally the settling of say 30 families so near Trail will benefit this city. J. D. Anderson, P. L. S., is the engineer for the syndicate.

Juga telephone to Vanesuver.

Uso telephone to Vancouver, Use telephone to Nanaimo,

Preparations For Dominion Fair FACTS

of the Work Done This Year.

Applications for Space Pouring in-five District Exhibits Premised.

At a recent meeting at New Westminster of the executive committee of the Royal Agricultural and Industrial Society, W. H. Keary, the manager-secretary, reported on the general outline of work done by the grounds and buildings committee, which had held eight meetings. The board of control had met five times, music four, special features four, advertising committee two. There have been 400 applications for positions. Over 730 letters have been written since the last meeting. There are so many applications for space that the amount to be allotted to each must be curtailed. Ten thousand prize lists and entry forms have been furnished gratis by the Columbian, and 6,000 of these have been mailed to various points, many with the Tourist Association pamphlets being to Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina and Indian Head exhibitions. His Majesty the Emperor of

youver Tourist Association, \$200, Far-mers' Advocate, special number, \$250 Industrial Canada, Toronto, \$80; Vic-toria Times, special number, \$75; In and Sentinel, \$25; and \$1,480 for ad-vertising in various newspapers.

The total amount advanced by the ity to date is \$16,339.77, of which \$,000 has been repaid by the provin-ial government grant, and the bal-ace will be repaid next week.

s630, and to Mr. Buckland for the remodeling of the bleachers, fences, etc.,
or \$1,600. The architect's fees on
his work are \$1,143,50. The new
hicked coops will be built by day
abor, at probably \$900. The amounts
expended to date are: Advertising,
2,350; contracts for clearing, buildng, etc., \$26,420,77; painting, \$630;
emodeling bleachers etc., \$1,600; arhitect's fees, \$1,143,50; total, \$32,54,27.

District Exhibits

In all seventeen district exhibits have been entered, and in this also the original allowance for space for each will have to be curtailed. The entries are: Experimental Farm, Manitoba and Northwest grains and grasses, Chilliwack, Edmonton, Kamtone Armstraug, Langley, Asheroft, Manitoba and Northwest grains and grasses, Chilliwack, Edmonton, Kam-oops, Armstrong, Langley, Ashcroft, Jernon, Richmond, Strathcona, Co-pillam, Burnaby, Nanaimo, Saanich, Salmon Arm, Windermere.

Salmon Arm, Windermere.

Manager Keary remarked that he was at a loss to know how all these, with the regular displays of roots, vegetables and field produce, Indian exhibits and bread, were to be accommodated in the old main building.

Resarding the stables for cattle, horses, sheep and swine, there being no experts at hand to consult, the committee had estimated these would cost \$6,000, but the architect's estimate for buildings such as were desired was \$18,400, which was somewhat of a facer for the committee. It was desirable, therefore, that the executive take some action at once.

The report was adopted and ordered

to be spread on the minutes.

W. R. Gilley, chairman of the grounds and buildings committee, reported also, though he could not materially add to the manager's report. The cattle stalls if placed side by side in a row, would extend half a mile this gives an idea of the size of the nut the committee has to crack. A good deal of useful service is being get out of the city's street roller and reck crusher and other american. new drive, etc. In reply to a ques-ion by Mr. Gilley, the architect gas he floor space available as follow-bld main building, 35,000 feet; indus-rial building, 40,000; manufacturer milding, 18,000.

Specia Features

Also that \$250 be set apare for sallors' sperts, a fishing skiff for the
champlonship double-scull fishing boat
contest and silver cup for the singlescull champlonship of the province;
broncho "busting," \$150; bulloon isconsisted, \$2,550. Report adopted,
This shows a saving in the original
estimate for special attractions of
\$3,000.

Lacrosse was discussed separately,
The chairman, Robert Jardine, is still
in Ottawa, but he wired that he had
arranged with the Capitals to play a
series of three matches here for \$2,500.
This was practically a cost price, the
manager stating that close figuring
showed that it would cost the Capitals
\$2,360 to make the trip. The Shamrocks isked \$4,500. Mr. C. A. Welsh
questioned the value of the Caps as a
draw now that they are the tail-enders
of the Canadian, league. Several other
matters of detail were discussed and
the whole matter was finally referred
to the manager and the lacrosse committee with power to act.

Mr. Arthur Malins reported for the
horse racing committee. He asked for
an appropriation of \$1,500, and on this
report being adopted, he submitted a
programme for three
days' racingfive events, with \$1,500 in purses for
each day.

Mr. Armstrong made a special report
re the proposed race between Lou
Scholes of Toronte and Titus of New
York, and he read a telegram which
said Scholes would not race with
Titus, but McGee, the new Canadian
champlon, would. After considerable
discussion the special features committee were given power to act.

Question of Power
Mr., John Peck reported that negotesting are still incomplete regarding
Mr. W. J. Breman, Western IIII, St.

Mr. W. J. Brandord and Mr. Code, whe
released on the northeast corner of
Moresby island, are now building a
for lecated on the northeast corner of
Moresby island, are now assumily with the intent of series on the part of Victoria and Mr. Code, which
for a large rale.

The Japanese have sent over a ship
for a cargo of fish, but whether they intent dishing themselves or purchasing

Question of Power

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Manager Keary, in this connection, stated that arrangements had already been made for electrical and gas power, and power will have to be supplied for the fisheries exhibit.

The amended plans for the horse and live stock stables were then discussed at considerable length, and the architect was directed to call for tenders at once based on both plans, and besides to get figures on so much perbudiding as well as per total.

The manager said he was advised that fifteen carloads of stock would arrive from points west of Winnipeg, and several from points to the south.

TALKS ON QUEEN

Member of Geological Survey Party Relates Some Re

cent Impressions.

CHARLOITE ISLANDS

W. F. Borland, who accompanied Dr

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vertising in various newspapers.

There has been expended to date or clearing contracts and building: Mis. Hoffard, \$1,889,05; Ben Roberts, \$2,050; industrial building, \$11,640; manufacturers' building, \$8,000; building fence, \$500; moving, etc., \$500; sundry work at park, \$1,541,72; gas main, etc., \$300; total, \$26,420,77.

The total amount advanced by the

The grounds and buildings commit-e have awarded Mr. Perkins the con-act for all the painting required for 30, and to Mr. Buckland for the re-

Question of Power

Mr. John Peek reported that negotiations are still incomplete regarding a scheme to furnish steam power, but he was reasonably sure of being able to promise at east 50-horse power. Previous Dominion exhibitions had been voted dead in the departments affected because no power was provided, and if possible all exhibits of that I have a new lease of life."

FACIAL PARALYSIS.

Mr. W. J. Brennan, Western IIIII, St. Catharines, Ont., writes: "My wife was all twisted out of shape with facal paralytic decrease in the persistent use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I have been entirely cured, and have returned to work strong and well. I have gained in welcht and feel that I have a new lease of life."